SEVEN BIG BATTLES FOUGHT IN A WEEK Special Services to Be Held in Local Temples This Evening

Clashes Will Rank Among Most Bloody in History of Western Europe.

GERMAN ATTACKS TURNED INTO ALLIES' VICTORIES

London Times Correspondent De scribes Piercing of the Teuton Lines by British Bayonets.

LONDON, May 18.—Seven separate of the Ten Commandments. and distinct battles were fought in the tle doubt that the days from Saturday the 8th until Friday the 14th will rank the service are Doris Minster, Frances among the most bloody in the history Heid, Lawrence Gichner, Harriet Sanof western Europe, says the Pas de ger. Helen Marks, Alfred May, Ruth Calais correspondent of the Times. He Pack, Carl Woerner, Helen Bendheim,

Stanley Levy, Philip Friedlander, Rena Ottenberg, Helene Klawans, Melvin Ottenberg, Helene Klawans, Melvin Ottenberg, Ruth Block, Sam Cohen, Sam Dodek, Henry Louis, Sadie Bloomberg, Gustav Ring, Katherine Kohner, Maurice Levitan, Paul Porton, Dorothy Sonneborn, Isador Kaplan, Rose Stamans, as though aware that with every passing hour their opportunity was slipping away, continued to hurl themselves against our lines. selves against our lines.

"Men who lived through this night shot until they could no longer hold their rifles. The fury of the assault was indescribable. Dawn of Sunday showed in the fields in front of Ypresthe dead piled like cornstalks at time, British and German lying side by side."

In Orthodox Temples.

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Piercing of German Line.

The piercing of the German line is thus described by the Times correspondent in northern France, under date of Sunday: "Last night hell broke loose, and be-

fore sunrise this morning the British

"Last night hell broke loose, and before surrise this morning the British army had stormed the German lines at Festubert and Richebourg L'Avoue. After the failure on the 9th, the situation was reconsidered, and it was finally decided for good and sufficient reasons to risk a night attack.

"It was necessary for Gen. French to act in order to support his allies, and, as he was unable to emulate their example and smash the German parapets with high explosives, it was to the British bayonets that the task of overthrowing the enemy was confided.

"He had not only to provide troops for the projected assault, but to hold a long length of trenches and consider the situation at Ypres, where the German guns had been causing us heavy losses. In the late afternoon Gen. French rode out among the troops to wish them good luck, addressing to all a few inspiring words.

"The night was not very dark, but there was no moon and scarcely any wind. All the dispositions were made silently after dusk. We were anything from seventy to 300 yards from the enemy's front trenches, and many nasty obstacles had to be overcome. We had to depend on beyonets and grenades. It was too dark for shooting.

Used Cold Steel.

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"Our left attacked at 11:30 o'clock, and ceeded in storming the German line I overthrowing the defenders. Before our left center was dashing in with cold steel. It penetrated two lines of German tranches, and killed or wounded most of the defenders, and made good a front of about 800 yards in the German

socition.

St. Stephen's on the Marquette grounds, Wisconsin avenue and 35th street, and St. Peter's will play Holy Name at the grounds on North Capitol street.

The revised schedule will be announced Thursday night.

The joint committee from the Washington section of the Holy Name Society will be announced through the original left of our attack.

The morning dawned a severative was opened from supporting positions in the rear of the German line, and against these our heavy guns resulted as soon as the light served us.

tions in the rear of the German line, and against these our heavy guns replied as soon as the light served us, greatly aiding our advance. Our artillery work was better than that of last week.

Take German Second Line.

"At 3 o'clock in the morning a fresh and formidable line of British infantry advanced from our right against the German trenches in the direction of Festubert. The men stormed the German lines with the utmost gallantry and soon made themselves masters of a front of 1,400 yards. They overwhelmed the second line and then penetrated the reserve trenches, causing the enemy heavy losses.

By 11 o'clock this attack had penetrated for a mile into the German lines and promised to extend round the Germans who still held onto their front trenches between our right and our center attacks. We had, in short, by noon overthrown almost completely the Germans on our front, and when the writer left the scene there seemed good hope that the inevitable German counter-attack would prove costly and ineffective." "At 3 o'clock in the morning a fresh

SEEKS COMMISSIONERS' AID.

Central Labor Union Would Have Union Labor Recognized. committee consisting of John B

Colpoys, Newton A. James and N. P. Alifas, representing the Central Labor Union, will call upon the District Com-missioners in the near future to urge that the influence of those officials be used to "bring about a fair attitude" toward union labor on the part of a fire engine manufacturing company, from which the District makes pur-

chases.

The committee was appointed at last night's weekly meeting of the union, following the receipt of a communication from a branch of the machinists union in New York.

Mr. Colpoys said last night that the men of the fire engine company are on strike, and, while it is not known that the District contemplates purchasing fire apparatus from the company, the Commissioners will be asked to intercede for organized labor in the event of any transactions with the company.

Dropped From Roll of U. S. Army. By an order issued by the War De partment today the name of Second Lieut. William H. Weggenmann of the 12th Company of the Coast Artillery Corps was dropped from the roll of army officers, on the ground of dearmy officers, on the ground of desertion. That action was taken in pursuance of law in view of the fact that
lieut. Weggenmann has been absent
from his post at Fort H. G. Wright,
near New London, Conn., without leave,
for the past three months. February 14
Lieut. Weggenmann was granted four
days' leave of absence, and since then
has not been heard from. Lieut. Weggenmann is from Delaware, and was
appointed to the army from civil life in
December, 1911.

Logan Tribe, I. O. R. M., to Celebrate Logan Tribe, No. 8, Improved Order of ourteenth anniversary tomorrow even fourteenth anniversary tomorrow evening by an open meeting at Red Men's
Hall, Wiscensin avenue and N street
northwest, to which the families of the
members are invited. A program will
be presented, including selections by
the tribe's glee club, and music by a
string orchestra. The history of the
organization will be reviewed by a past
great representative of the order. Refreshments will be served.

PROGRAM FOR OBSERVING SHOT KILLS YOUNG SON

Temples This Evening and Tomorrow.

Shabuoth, or the Jewish feast of the weeks, regarded as one of the most mportant holy days of the Hebrew calendar, is to be appropriately ob-served in this city. Special services are o be held in the local Hebrew temples this evening and tomorrow.

An elaborate service will mark the observance in the Eighth Street Temple tomorrow at 11 o'clock, when a large number of children will participate. Rev. Drs. Simon and Stern will be in charge of the service.

The occasion will open with a march by the children, after which Henry Backenheimer, Blanche Reiner Horace Gensburg will present the floral offering, after which will come the responsive readings and the recitation

Others to Participate.

Other children who will take part in Stanley Levy, Philip Friedlander, Rena

In Orthodox Temples.

Rabbi Grossman will be in charge of Habbi Grossman will be in charge of the services at the Adas Israel Temple and plans a special sermon at the serv-ice tomorrow morning, when he will point out the reasons for this com-memoration of the harvest season in Palestine.

PLAY GIVEN FOR CHARITY.

'Mrs. Busby's Boarder" Presented by Stellar Dramatic Club.

"Mrs. Busby's Boarder" was presented by the Stellar Dramatic Club at Trin-ity Parish Hall last evening, under the direction of the leader, Miss Sue H. Murray. Proceeds of the performance are to be donated to a charity of Georgetown. The play is to be repeat-

The cast includes: Misses Gertrude L. Clements, Mae E. Callahan, Mary V. Dugan, Anne O. Titlow, Eileen Keady and Joseph A. Kuhn, J. Edward Kirby, Harry S. Green, Francis Connally and John J. Mattare.

TEN TEAMS IN LEAGUE.

Holy Name Base Ball Aggregations Start Season Monday.

Holy Name Base Ball League will teams in the field. St. Martin's has just entered a team, and, owing to the necessity of readjusting the schedule, the meeting of the league officials scheduled for tonight is postponed until Thursday night at 8 o'clock in St. Aloysius Hall.

Monday afternoon Trinity will play St. Stephen's on the Marquette grounds,

Lieut. Col. H. C. Schumm Is Retired. Lieut. Col. Herman C. Schumm of the Coast Artillery Corps has been placed on the retired list on account of disability incurred in the line of duty. Col.

OF DETECTIVE GRANT

Fires Bullet Into Head by Accident at Home-Mother Finds

Body.



Joseph E. Grant, jr., twelve years old, the only child of Detective Joe Grant, accidentally shot and killed himself while in the bathroom at his home, 1220 B street northeast, yesterday afternoon. His body was found by Mrs. Annie E. Grant, the boy's mother, when she returned home from a shopping tour about 6 o'clock. Dr. J. J. Kaveney responded to an

emergency call, examined the body and said he thought the boy had been dead emergency call, examined the body and said he thought the boy had been dead for at least one hour. Detective Grant was in Roanoke, Va., on police business last night, and it was after midnight when he returned home and learned of the tragedy.

Had Pistol Hidden.

ed home some time after 3 o'clock. His father had a pistol secreted beneath wearing apparel in a bureau drawer in his sleeping apartment. It was wrapped in a chamois shining cloth, his
father stated, and there was not a cartridge in the house that fitted it.
Where his son obtained a cartridge
for the weapon is a mystery. His father said he had purposely avoided having it loaded and had secreted it where
he thought it would never he noticed ing it loaded and had secreted it where he thought it would never be noticed. His son found it and probably was examining it when it was discharged. The bullet entered his jaw and passed through his brain, finding an exit in the top of the skull. None of Detective Grant's neighbors heard the report of the shot and it was not until Mrs. Grant reached home that anything of the tragedy was known.

Mother Discovers Tragedy.

Neighbors responded to the appeals of the distressed mother, and the physi-cian was quickly summoned. Dr. Wil-liam B. Carr and the police of the ninth recinct visited the house and made ar precinct visited the house and made an investigation. Dr. Carr gave a certificate of accidental death.

Funeral services will be held at the Grant home tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be at Congressional cemeters:

William Stewart Elmer, seventy-four years old, a retired manufacturer, died at his home in Baltimore. He had been in ill health for several years, but not seriously until two weeks ago.

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Young Grant attended school at the Maury building yesterday, and return-Libel Suit Against Col. Roose-

When the mother reached home she called her boy. Receiving no response, the went to the second floor and found the bathroom door closed. It was with to get the door open far enough to discover that a tragedy had been en-acted, the body having fallen against

skin torments

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relt. He was questioned by John M. Bowers, chief counsel for the colonel who at once reverted to the McCarthy printing contract which Mr. Barnes ourchased from the bidder who secured it and sold it to James B. Lyon for

The witness was questioned at some ength about conferences he had with Attorney General Davies, who was a a contract for public printing; about opened at the War Department today. nember of the state printing board.

Preference as to Contract. "Did you tell Mr. Davies you wanted

Davies you hoped Lyon would get the "I said those things."

Roosevelt Telephoned Convention. The former chairman of the repubican state committee told yesterday afternoon about his interest in the anti-race track and direct primaries legislation; about buying and selling

the contract awarded to some person who was the republican leader in this or corporation in Albany that had a state from 1906 to 1910, Mr. Barnes as-Mr. McCarthy, who had no adequate plant in which to do the work?"

serted that while Col. Roosevelt didn't termasters in Washington. Boston, New 1988 by 1988

PROPOSALS ARE OPENED.

174 Bidders for Items of Army Clothing and Equipage for 1916. Proposals from 174 bidders in all parts of the country for upward of 1,000 items of army clothing and equipage for the fiscal year 1916 were what he considered a "legitimate piece" Under a new system of purchases of patronage" in the form of printing, and about a score of other things.

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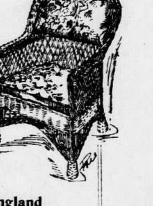


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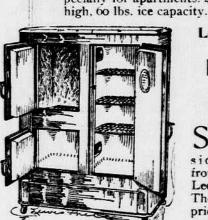


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